



PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING COMMISSION

COMMITTEE MEETING

February 16, 2018

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ADOPTION OF AGENDA

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ADMINISTRATION MATTERS

ROLL CALL

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DISCLAIMER – COMMISSIONER LONG

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR JANUARY 19, 2018 POST COMMISSION MEETING:

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DECERTIFICATION HEARING HELD THIS MONTH

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APPEARING BEFORE THE COMMISSION/

WAIVERS FOR PRE-EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS – 1110-02-.03 + 1110-9-.04

Ashland City Police Department – Request that Garry T. Brown receive a waiver for a worthless check charge he received in Guilford County North Carolina in 1996 all court ordered restitution has been satisfied.

Appearing

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Remarks:_____

WAIVER TO ATTEND ANOTHER ACADEMY - POST Rule 1110-02-.03(3)

Clarksville Police Department – Request that Lyssed B. Pacheco Robinson (hired December 1, 2017) be allowed to change academy, she attended Walters State for one day before becoming sick and was unable to return. The department is attempting to place her in the April 2018 TLETA Basic class.

Appearing

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Mt. Juliet Police Department – Request that Corey Seal (hired August 21, 2017) be allowed to change academy, he previously attended THP Academy spring 2017 before withdrawing for health reasons. He then attended and graduated Walters State in June 2017. The department has also been requested to appear for not submitting timely paperwork.

Appearing

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Remarks:_____

WAIVER OF BASIC TRAINING – 1110-02-.03 + 1110-9-.02

The following requests for Waiver/Substitution of Basic Training have been reviewed and appear to meet POST requirements:

Athens Police Department – Request Clifton D. Couch (hired September 25, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Couch graduated from Tallahassee Community College 744 hour Criminal Justice Training in May 2003, and worked for Leon County FL Sheriff Office until 2011. Then Chief of Police for two departments in Kansas from 2011 to 2017.

Appearing

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Brentwood Police Department – Request Francisco J. Moncayo (hired January 8, 2018) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Moncayo graduated from NYPD 440 hour Manhattan Police Academy in March 1997 and retired from them July 2017. If approved additional hours (19) in EVO and (5) in DT/PT will be required.

Appearing

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Gatlinburg Police Department – Request Scott G. Corbin (hired September 11, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Corbin graduated from Georgia Public Safety 400 hour Training Center in March 2001 and worked for Effingham County GA Sheriff Office until September 2005 and then for Savannah-Chatham GA Police Department 2006-2014. If approved additional hours (20) in DT and (20) in EVO will be required and a six month waiver will also be required.

Appearing

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Hamblen County Sheriff Office – Request Robert K. Blevins (hired October 4, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Blevins graduated from Knoxville Police Academy in November 2002 and worked for them until 2007 and then Rutherford County SO 2007-2009.

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Mt. Juliet Police Department – Request Christopher M. Barth (hired September 25, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Barth graduated from Maryland 1070 Police Academy in April 2015 and worked for Takoma Park MD Police Department and then Bowling Green KY Police Department.

Appearing

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Murfreesboro Police Department – Request Troy M. Black (hired November 27, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Black graduated from New Orleans Police Department 744 hour Training Academy in July 2007 and worked for them until August 2013, out of law enforcement since.

Appearing

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Murfreesboro Police Department – Request Daniel J. Boylan (hired November 27, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Boylan graduated from Newport News VA Police Department 720 hour Law Enforcement Academy in November 2016 and worked for them until July 2017.

Appearing

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Murfreesboro Police Department – Request Tyler N. Comp (hired November 27, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Comp graduated from Pennsylvania Municipal Police Officer 809 hour Training Academy in November 2016 and worked for University of Pittsburg at Greensburg from January 2017 – November 2017.

Appearing

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Sullivan County Sheriff Office – Request Ernest T. Miller (hired September 7, 2017) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Miller graduated from Virginia State Police 1250 hour Basic Training in April 1997 and retired from them in April 2017. Delay in submission of required POST paperwork. Six month waiver will be required.

Appearing

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The department is also requesting that Mr. Miller be allowed to ride solo until PT graduation.

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Sumner County Sheriff Office – Request Glenn C. Baun III (hired January 2, 2018) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Baun graduated from South Carolina 522 hour Criminal Justice Academy in August 2013 and worked for Sumter SC Police Department until March 2017 and then Manning SC police Department until July 2017.

Appearing

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Vanderbilt Police Department – Request Patrick K. Kennedy (hired January 15, 2018) be allowed to attend the March 2018 Transition School at TLETA. Mr. Kennedy graduated from Cobb County GA 678 hour Police Academy in July 2009 working for them until August 2017.

Appearing

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APPLICATIONS FOR TRAINING OFFICER – 1110-04-.03

POST Investigators have reviewed and approved 2 applications for Training Officer, and they appear to meet criteria for approval.

The officers listed below *if any* will be informed that they have one year to complete Instructor Development or approved substitute.

Sean Cullen

Tipton County SO

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APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFIED INSTRUCTOR – 1110-03-.04

POST Investigators have reviewed and approved 26 applications for Certified Instructor, and they appear to be in order and meet minimum standards, and they have completed the minimum hours in attendance of required courses.

The instructors listed below *if any* will be informed they have one year to complete Instructor Development or approved substitute.

Officers listed below *if any* request a waiver of the one year training officer requirement.

Sean Cullen

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Tipton County SO

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CURRICULUM AND TESTS – 1110-04 & SPECIALIZED TRAINING CURRICULUM – 1110-04-.09

POST Investigators have reviewed and approved 307 in-service and specialized training classes this month as they appear to be in order and meet or exceed minimum standards set forth by the Peace Officers Standards and Training requirements. They have made note if these training offerings meet the POST requirements for Firearms, EVOC, Mental Illness and CSA.

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NEW BUSINESS/ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

The following departments have been requested to appear regarding late submission of POST required paperwork.

**Bethel Springs PD
Lynnville PD
Mt. Juliet PD**

**Charleston PD
Metro Nashville Park Police
SW TN Community College PD**

**Hamblen County SO
Millersville PD
Trezevant PD**

Memphis Police Department TA – Request that there Basic class size be increased to up to 150 students for the calendar year 2018.

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Nashville State Community College – Request to become a POST Certified campus police department.

Appearing

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The following training academies have requested their 2017 annual reports be approved.

Knox County TA Metro Nashville TA Shelby County TA THP TA Knoxville PD TA

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OLD BUSINESS

None this month

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WAIVERS OF EIGHT (8) MONTH RULE:

The following officer(s) are requesting a waiver of the eight-month rule.

They will receive 2017 Salary Supplement payment if they completed 2017 In-Service requirements.

Cookeville Police Department – Request an 8 month waiver for Terry C. Woodcock who retired August 1, 2017 and completed all 2017 IS requirements.

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Johnson City Police Department - Request an 8 month waiver for Sam F. Reed who retired April 17, 2017 and completed all 2017 IS requirements.

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Johnson City Police Department - Request an 8 month waiver for Mike L. Street who retired March 31, 2017 and completed all 2017 IS requirements.

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Mount Pleasant Police Department – Request an 8 month waiver for Terry M. Chandler Jr. who retired July 7, 2017 and completed all 2017 IS requirements.

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Metro Nashville Airport Police Department – Request an 8 month waiver for Hardini Carter who retired July 7, 2017 and completed all 2017 IS requirements.

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Sullivan County Sheriff Office – Request an 8 month waiver for Dennis A. Doran who retired May 19, 2017 and completed all 2017 IS requirements.

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WAIVER FOR MEDICAL – RULE 1110-09-.06

The following departments are requesting a waiver for medical reasons for the 2017 calendar so the departments will also remain in compliance. Officers did not complete in-service training and are not eligible for Salary Supplement:

Germantown Police Department – Request that Hunter N. Deen receive a medical waiver, he has been on medical leave since February 2017 following surgery.

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Lawrence County Sheriff Office – Request a medical waiver for Byron K. Shelton who has been on medical leave since August 4, 2017 and did complete all 2017 IS required training. *The department is asking for 2017 SS payment for Officer Shelton.*

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New Market Police Department – Request that Charles Devotie receive a medical waiver for 2017 because he suffered an on duty back injury and was unable to complete FA training.

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Newport Police Department – Request that Bradley Ball receive a medical waiver for 2017 because of an on duty knee injury and was unable to complete 2017 IS training.

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Newport Police Department – Request that Terry Lawson receive a medical waiver for 2017 because of personal medical leave in September 2017 and out for several months and was unable to complete 2017 IS training.

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WAIVERS OF SIX (6) MONTH RULE:

The following departments are requesting a waiver of the six month rule to keep their officer(s) and the department in compliance.

Hamblin County Sheriff Office – Request six month waivers for the following officers.

Megan N. Swift	(H) 6/9/17	TLETA 4/1/18
James D. Harville	(H) 7/10/17	TLETA 4/1/18
William E. Bates	(H) 9/26/17	TLETA 4/1/18
Brandon H. M. Ferrell	(H) 9/26/17	TLETA 4/1/18

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Jackson Police Department – Request a six month waiver for Joshua Keller (hired June 19, 2017) who missed 2 weeks of TLETA's fall class and is making them up with the current class.

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MTSU Police Department – Request another six month waiver for Zach Brooker (hired April 3, 2017) after injuring his knee he was unable to attend TLETA in 2017 or Jan. 2018. He is attending Walters State Jan. 2018.

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Millersville Police Department – Request a six month waiver for Alexander J. Shotomide (hired June 30, 2017) who graduated from Walters State June 2017. The department did not notify POST of his hiring until January 2018.

Appearing

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Mt. Juliet Police Department – Request a six month waiver for Remington M. Clawson (hired December 19, 2016), POST was not notified until December 31, 2017 of his hiring.

Appearing

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Murfreesboro Police Department – Request a six month waiver for Hunter Pastrana (hired April 17, 2017) who was injured in May 2017 and will be attending TLETA when released by doctor.

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Overton County Sheriff Office – Request a six month waiver for James T. Owens (hired by Clay County SO May 5, 2017), Clay County's untimely submission of Mr. Owens' paperwork has put him over the six month rule for certification. Mr. Owens graduated Walters State June 2017.

Appearing (Clay & Overton County SO's)

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WAIVER OF IN-SERVICE – RULE 1110-09-.05

Requests for a waiver have been received for the following officers so that they will remain in compliance with POST guidelines as well as the department. They are not eligible for Salary Supplement.

Charleston Police Department – Request In-Service waiver's for their officers and their department. None of the officers completed 2017 IS.

Appearing

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Dresden Police Department – Request an In-Service waiver for Chad Cooper who failed to complete FA training before resigning in November 2017.

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Estill Springs Police Department – Request an In-Service waiver for Allen Rhodes who resigned in September 2017 without completing his IS training.

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Greenbrier Police Department – Request an In-Service waiver for Flavio L. Burroughs III who failed to complete all of his 2017 IS training before changing departments.

Appearing

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Rogersville Police Department – Request an in-service waiver for Joshua L. Byrd who only completed 27 hours of IS training before changing departments.

Appearing

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The department is requesting that he receive SS payment for 2017. He completed 8 hrs of FA training with department but would still be short 5 hours.

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Wayne County Sheriff Office – Request an In-Service waiver for Robert J. Gann who did not complete 2017 IS, resigning in January 2017.

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Wayne County Sheriff Office – Request an In-Service waiver for Michael D. Pigg who is on administrative leave w/o pay.

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WAIVERS FOR MILITARY LEAVE – RULE 1110-09-.06(5)

The following departments are requesting a waiver for military service for the 2017 calendar. Military orders are included along with change of status. These officers will be eligible to receive salary supplement, and the departments will remain in compliance.

Clarksville Police Department – Request Military waivers for the following officers.

George C. Goodman III	Deployed 7/10 – 9/14, 2017
Trevor Knight	Deployed 11/13/17 for 400 days
John R. Reyes	Deployed 10/7/17 for 180 days

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Franklin Police Department – Request a Military waiver for Chris Gentry who has been on active duty since October 2016.

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Johnson City Police Department - Request a Military waiver for Shane H. Williams who has been on active duty since October 2016.

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PRE-EMPLOYMENT WAIVER

UT Chattanooga PD – request a waiver for an uncharacterized discharge for Hayden Russell from the USMC on May 6, 2015.

Appearing

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